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tion; if the Executive Committee disapproves it shall require a majority vote of each of three-fourths ($\frac{3}{4}$) of the active Chapters. The failure of a Chapter to act on a stated matter within four (4) months after its receipt shall be counted as an affirmative vote. A proposed measure having been defeated may not again be considered within twelve (12) months.

ARTICLE XIV
AMENDMENTS

SECTION 1. REFERENDUM

Amendments to the Constitution may be proposed by any member in open Council, or by any Chapter thru the initiative. When proposed in open Council, ratification of any amendment shall require the affirmative votes of members representing two-thirds ($\frac{2}{3}$) of the active Chapters. If thus ratified by the Council, the amendment shall be submitted to the Chapters, and if two-thirds ($\frac{2}{3}$) of the active Chapters shall, by majority vote of the members of each, ratify the amendment it shall be declared adopted, provided that any Chapter not

submitting its vote within four months after receiving the amendment by registered mail, shall be counted as voting in the affirmative. If, however, the amendment be not ratified by two-thirds ($\frac{2}{3}$) of the active Chapters it shall be declared lost, the ratification of the National Council notwithstanding.

SECTION 2. INITIATIVE

When an amendment is proposed by any Chapter thru the initiative, it shall be submitted to the Executive Committee, and the Executive Committee shall submit it to the active Chapters with its approval or disapproval. If the Executive Committee approves it shall require a majority vote of the members of each of two-thirds ($\frac{2}{3}$) of the active Chapters for adoption. If the Executive Committee disapproves it shall require a majority vote of the members of each of three-fourths ($\frac{3}{4}$) of the active Chapters. The failure of a Chapter to act on the proposed measure within four months after its receipt by registered mail shall be counted as an affirmative vote.

By-Laws

ARTICLE I. FINES

In case any Chapter acts contrary to the Constitution, By-Laws, rules and requests of the Executive Committee, the offending Chapter shall be fined five dollars (\$5.00), payable immediately upon notice from the National Treasurer. The offending Chapter shall be considered suspended until the fine has been paid. While suspended a Chapter shall have no voice or participation in Fraternity affairs.

ARTICLE II
CREDENTIALS FOR DELEGATES
TO THE NATIONAL COUNCIL

At least fifteen days before the opening of the Council each Chapter shall fill out and send to the National Secretary the proper blanks with the name of the delegate and a first and second alternate. In order to take his seat the delegate must present to the Council duplicate credentials properly filled in and signed. The following form shall be used:

.....
Date.....

This is to certify that Brother.....
 (Home address.....)
 who is an active member student member of.....Chapter of Phi Delta Kappa is the properly chosen delegate of the Chapter to the.....
 National Council meeting, to be held at
on

First Alternate

Home address.....

Second Alternate.....

Home address.....

These are active members of our Chapter:

Signed for the Chapter:

.....

Chapter President

.....

Chapter Secretary

ARTICLE III

NOTICE TO THE NATIONAL SECRETARY WHEN NEW CHAPTER OFFICERS ARE ELECTED

Within ten days after the election of officers by each Chapter the new Secretary shall notify the National Secretary of the names and addresses of the newly elected officers.

ARTICLE IV. EMBLEM

The emblem of the Fraternity shall be a pin including the letters Phi, Delta and Kappa, as fully described in the specifications below:

"The pin shall be a 'two-piece monogram with Phi superimposed upon Delta and Kappa at the junction of the latter. All letters of the same height, $7\frac{3}{4}$ M/M, and with a common base line. Total extreme length from base point of Delta to base point of Kappa 15 M/M. They may be plain or jeweled, outside dimen-

sions and general design to be the same. A smaller size of the pin, in the ratio of 15:31 shall be the official pin furnished to all initiates by the Executive Committee."

ARTICLE V. KEY

The national Council shall adopt a key to be conferred on members of Phi Delta Kappa. This key shall symbolize actual accomplishment in the solution of educational problems and shall serve as an encouragement and tangible reward by Phi Delta Kappa of continuous effort on the part of its individual members.

The key shall be conferred by a majority vote of the National Council upon nomination by an active Chapter (in consultation with the faculty) and approval by the Executive Committee. The Executive Committee may also award a maximum of five keys per year to any members of Phi Delta Kappa on its own initiative. The active Chapters shall nominate no men who have not been active members of those Chapters as students. These keys shall be paid for by the members upon whom they are conferred and shall be ordered only thru the National Secretary.

Nominations shall be made by the Chapters at least one month before the regular meeting of the National Council. These nominations shall include a careful and complete enumeration of all the details of each nominee's educational activities. They shall be prepared and signed by the Chapter Secretary and countersigned by the Chapter President.

ARTICLE VI SEAL OF THE FRATERNITY

(a) The official seal of the National Council and its Executive Committee

shall be a circle with the crest of the Coat-of-Arms in its center, and with the words, "National Council of the Phi Delta Kappa Fraternity," within its milled edge. The National Council shall provide itself with such a seal, and the Secretary shall use the same upon all official business.

(b) The official seal of each Chapter shall be a circle with the crest of the Coat-of-Arms in its center, and with the words, "..... Chapter of the Phi Delta Kappa Fraternity," within its milled edge. Each Chapter shall provide itself with such a seal, ordering the same thru the National Secretary.

ARTICLE VII

SHIELDS, BANNERS AND OTHER DEVICES UPON WHICH THE COAT-OF-ARMS IS USED

All shields, banners and other devices upon which the Coat-of-Arms is used shall be ordered by the Chapters thru the National Secretary.

ARTICLE VIII. COAT-OF-ARMS

(a) The Executive Committee of the Fraternity shall adopt a Coat-of-Arms and authorize its use by the Chapters.

(b) The Executive Committee shall have this design copyrighted.

(c) The Coat-of-Arms of the Fraternity shall be used upon all charters,

membership certificates and membership cards and may also be used upon personal stationery and like material as Chapters may permit or dictate.

ARTICLE IX. COLORS

The official colors of the Fraternity shall be red and white, the red being understood to be the red of the white light spectrum.

ARTICLE X. FLOWERS

The official flower of the Fraternity shall be the carnation, red and white.

ARTICLE XI

MEMBERSHIP CERTIFICATE

The Council shall adopt a certificate of membership. The certificate shall be six by nine inches in size, engraved on parchment and shall bear the Coat-of-Arms of the Fraternity.

This certificate shall be given to new members on the occasion of their initiation, the expense to be borne by the National Treasury.

It shall be signed by the National Secretary and by the Chapter President and Secretary and shall bear the Chapter seal.

Other members may secure the certificate thru their Chapter officers.